

John F. Kennedy Middle School



“Excellence is not an option...it’s a requirement!”

John F. Kennedy Middle School
Palm Beach County Public Schools

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Student Demographics

1% Caucasian
90% Black
6% Hispanic
89% Free/Reduced Lunch
4% ELL

School Information:

- Grades 6-8
- Approximately 675 students
- Colors – Green and Gold
- Mascot – Viking

Contributing factors to Exiting Intervene Status:

- Emphasis on developing and enhancing student-teacher relationships
- Focused on behavior and building improved school climate
- Hired additional staff members in 2008-2009 to assist with discipline
- Provided targeted professional development to teachers, based on data
- Provided training to staff to understand and use data
- Administered FCAT-like diagnostic assessments, embedded Check Points

